

Beyer	Grayson	Nolan
Bishop (GA)	Griffith	Norcross
Blumenauer	Grijalva	O'Rourke
Bonamici	Gutiérrez	Pallone
Boyle, Brendan	Hahn	Pascrell
F.	Hastings	Payne
Brady (PA)	Heck (WA)	Pelosi
Brownley (CA)	Herrera Beutler	Perlmutter
Bustos	Higgins	Peters
Butterfield	Himes	Pingree
Capps	Hinojosa	Pocan
Capuano	Honda	Polis
Cárdenas	Hoyer	Price (NC)
Carney	Huffman	Quigley
Carson (IN)	Israel	Rangel
Cartwright	Jeffries	Rice (NY)
Castor (FL)	Johnson (GA)	Richmond
Chu, Judy	Kaptur	Roybal-Allard
Cicilline	Keating	Ruiz
Clark (MA)	Kelly (IL)	Ruppersberger
Clarke (NY)	Kennedy	Rush
Clay	Kildee	Ryan (OH)
Cleaver	Kilmer	Sánchez, Linda
Clyburn	Kind	T.
Cohen	Kirkpatrick	Sarbanes
Connolly	Kuster	Schakowsky
Conyers	Langevin	Schiff
Cooper	Larsen (WA)	Schrader
Costa	Larson (CT)	Scott (VA)
Courtney	Lawrence	Scott, David
Crowley	Lee	Serrano
Cummings	Levin	Sewell (AL)
Davis (CA)	Lewis	Sherman
Davis, Danny	Lieu, Ted	Sinema
DeFazio	Lipinski	Sires
DeGette	Loeb	Slaughter
Delaney	Lofgren	Smith (WA)
DeLauro	Lowenthal	Speier
DelBene	Lowey	Swalwell (CA)
DeSaulnier	Lujan Grisham	Takai
Deutch	(NM)	Takano
Dingell	Luján, Ben Ray	Thompson (CA)
Doyle, Michael	(NM)	Thompson (MS)
F.	Lynch	Titus
Duckworth	Maloney,	Tonko
Edwards	Carolyn	Torres
Ellison	Maloney, Sean	Tsongas
Engel	Matsui	Van Hollen
Eshoo	McCollum	Vargas
Esty	McDermott	Velázquez
Farr	McGovern	Visclosky
Fattah	McNerney	Walz
Foster	Meeks	Wasserman
Frankel (FL)	Meng	Schultz
Fudge	Moore	Waters, Maxine
Gabbard	Moulton	Watson Coleman
Gallo	Murphy (FL)	Walters (FL)
Garamendi	Nadler	Yarmuth
Goodlatte	Napolitano	
Graham	Neal	

## NOT VOTING—3

Aguilar	Johnson, Sam	Sanchez, Loretta
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Mr. WELCH changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. CURBELO of Florida). The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

## STOP THE RECKLESS POLICIES OF PRESIDENT OBAMA

(Mr. BABIN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BABIN. Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues to join me in using the

power of the purse to stop the reckless policies of President Obama that leave the citizens of the United States vulnerable. Americans overwhelmingly support this.

The FBI, DNI, and DHS have testified that they cannot fully screen the thousands of refugees that the President wants to bring in from Syria, Somalia, Iraq, and other regions with high rates of terrorism. Illegal immigrants from Syria, Libya, Somalia, and other hotbeds of terrorism continue to test the openness of our southern border. The loopholes in the screening of immigrants from hotbeds of terrorism are being exploited, and the administration opposes closing them.

This House has one chance, the end of the year appropriations bill, to end these dangerous policies.

This Member of Congress will vote against any bill rushed to the floor that fails to stop these reckless policies.

Let's put aside political correctness, criticism from foreign nationals that leave Americans vulnerable. This is our chance to stop future San Bernardinos, Parisés, Chattanoogaes, Garlands, and Ft. Hood. The lives of these American citizens are worth it. Indeed, they cry out for it.

## VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE

(Mr. PETERS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, Marysville, Washington, October 24, 2015:

Andrew Fryberg, 15 years old.  
Zoe Galasso, 14.  
Gia Soriano, 14.  
Shaylee Chuckluskait, 14.  
Charleston, South Carolina, June 17, 2015:

Susie Jackson, 87 years old.  
Daniel Simmons, 74.  
Ethel Lance, 70.  
Myra Thompson, 59.  
Cynthia Hurd, 54.  
DePayne Middleton Doctor, 49.  
Sharonda Coleman-Singleton, 45.  
Clementa Pinckney, 41.  
Tywanza Sanders, 26.

Navy Yard, Washington, D.C., September 16, 2013:

John Roger Johnson, 73 years old.  
Kathleen Gaarde, 62.  
Vishnu Pandit, 61.  
Michael Arnold, 59.  
Gerald Read, 58.  
Martin Bodrog, 54.  
Sylvia Frasier, 53.  
Richard Michael Ridgell, 52.  
Frank Kohler, 51.  
Mary Frances DeLorenzo Knight, 51.  
Mr. Speaker, my time has expired, but I will be back.

## VENEZUELAN ELECTIONS

(Mr. CURBELO of Florida asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CURBELO of Florida. Mr. Speaker, this past Sunday, the people of Venezuela took to the polls and, in a loud, clear voice, deposed the Chavista ruling party from the National Assembly.

Polls leading up to the election indicated that a vast majority, 87 percent of Venezuelans, were dissatisfied with the direction that Maduro and his cronies were taking the country.

Maduro's policies have led Venezuela to having the hemisphere's highest inflation rate, causing critical shortages of food and medicine, as well as the collapse of the Venezuelan currency and rampant crime.

The newly elected coalition has pledged to make necessary reforms to get a handle on the economy. It has also promised to pass laws to release the political prisoners that have been unjustly arrested by the Maduro regime.

Sunday's elections were a watershed moment for the Venezuelan people, and it charts a new course for their destiny. However, there is still hard work that needs to be done to ensure a thriving, prosperous, and just Venezuela, at peace with itself and with its people.

I congratulate the Venezuelan people and the Venezuelan community in the United States on this momentous occasion.

## FDA, DO YOUR JOB, BUT GET IT RIGHT

(Mr. WELCH asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. WELCH. Mr. Speaker, the Food and Drug Administration has an extremely important job to make certain that our food is safe, but it is often misguided and overreaches in some of its regulations.

The FDA is considering a standard that would severely impact artisan cheese producers. They have proposed a safety standard that seeks to limit the level of nontoxicogenic *E. coli* found in raw milk cheeses.

The problem is there is absolutely no scientific connection between meeting that standard and improving food and safety. Yet, there is a very practical, burdensome impact on our artisan cheese makers.

It is why the ICMSF, the leading global food safety body, the European Union, and many U.S. food safety experts have argued that monitoring raw milk cheeses for nontoxicogenic *E. coli* is absolutely unwarranted. In spite of that international consensus, the FDA is forging ahead, and it is going to do real damage to our artisan cheese makers.

Artisan cheese makers already have rigorous protocols in place to ensure safety. That is why I led a bipartisan, bicameral group of colleagues in sending a letter to FDA raising concerns with this standard: FDA, do your job, but get it right.